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**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
REGULATORY SERVICES  
Plant Certification**

**APPLICATION FOR NURSERY CERTIFICATION**

- ☐ **NEW**  
☐ **RENEWAL**  
☐ **CERTIFICATION NO.**  
☐ **CHANGE OF ADDRESS**  
☐ **CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP**  
☐ **BRANCH**

For Departmental Use Only

Certification No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date Processed: \_\_\_\_\_

Please print or type information requested in spaces where indicated.

**MAILING ADDRESS**

<b>Firm:</b>		
<b>Owner:</b>		<b>Contact Person:</b>
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City/State/Zip:</b>		<b>County:</b>
<b>Email address</b>	<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>

**SALES LOCATION**

Physical Address Only, No Post Office Box

<b>Address:</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>County:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>

<b>Total Growing Area - Acres</b>	<b>Square Feet</b>
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**Do you sell/ship out of state?**      ☐ Yes      ☐ No

**Check all that apply:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Coniferous Evergreens	<input type="checkbox"/> Decorative Plants, Foliage or Specialty Plants Including Orchids, Etc.
<input type="checkbox"/> Broad Leafed Evergreens	<input type="checkbox"/> Deciduous Fruit and Nut Trees
<input type="checkbox"/> Deciduous Shade Trees	<input type="checkbox"/> Grapevines
<input type="checkbox"/> Rose Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> Strawberry Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> Herbaceous Ornamental, Annual and Perennial Plants, and Aquatics	<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetable Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> Bulbs, Rhizomes, Etc	<input type="checkbox"/> Sod
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground Covers, Ivies and Vines

**PLEASE FILL OUT REVERSE SIDE. Application must be signed and dated on reverse side to be processed by Plant Certification.**

List below all locations where nursery stock is grown.

ADDRESS	CITY	COUNTY	ACRES

List all sources of nursery stock imported into your nursery. Include the name, address, and telephone number of each source. Attach additional pages as needed. It is further agreed that records (invoices, certification, and compliance stamps) will be kept of the actual sources from which all plants and nursery stock are obtained.

Name	Address	Telephone

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Signature (Application not valid unless signed)

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Date

A Plant Certification Inspector will be contacting you to set up a time to inspect your nursery. No certificates may be granted without a current inspection of the growing areas.

Check List of items needed to be mailed to the above address for issuance of a certificate:

☐ List of Vendors, ☐ Signed form, ☐ **\$200.00** signed check per business location made out to the *Tennessee Department of Agriculture*, and certificate number located in the memo field of check.

**Please send completed application to:**

**Tennessee Department of Agriculture  
Plant Certification  
P.O. Box 40627, Melrose  
Nashville, TN 37204**